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The House met pursuant to adjournment.  
Representative Lang in the chair.  
Prayer by Reverend Robert Freeman, who is with Grace and Kumler United Methodist Church in Springfield, Illinois.  
Representative McAuliffe led the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.  
By direction of the Speaker, a roll call was taken to ascertain the attendance of Members, as follows:  
118 present. (ROLL CALL 1)

### LETTERS OF TRANSMITTAL

February 26, 2013

Mr. Timothy D. Mapes  
Clerk of the House  
Room 300, State House  
Springfield, IL 62706

Dear Clerk Mapes:

A weekly order of business should be set for Thursday, February 28, 2013, at 12 noon, to consider legislation concerning pension law changes. At this time, the legislative measures to be considered include HB 1154, 1165, 1166 and any amendments to HB 1154, 1165 and 1166.

With kindest personal regards, I remain

Sincerely yours,

s/Michael J. Madigan  
Speaker of the House

### TEMPORARY COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Representative Kelly Burke replaced Representative Franks in the Committee on Public Utilities on February 26, 2013.

Representative Ford replaced Representative Crespo in the Committee on Elementary & Secondary Education on February 27, 2013.

Representative Davidsmeyer replaced Representative Sandack in the Committee on Health Care Licenses on February 27, 2013.

Representative Walsh replaced Representative Bradley in the Committee on Judiciary on February 27, 2013.

### REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Verschoore, Chairperson, from the Committee on Agriculture & Conservation to which the following were referred, action taken on February 26, 2013, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported "do pass" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILL 1003.

The committee roll call vote on House Bill 1003 is as follows:  
15, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

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|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Y Verschoore(D), Chairperson        | Y Costello(D), Vice-Chairperson |
| Y Sacia(R), Republican Spokesperson | A Burke, Kelly(D)               |
| Y Cavaletto(R)                      | Y Cloonen(D)                    |
| Y Evans(D)                          | Y Halbrook(R)                   |
| Y Harms(R)                          | Y Kifowit(D)                    |
| A Mautino(D)                        | Y Meier(R)                      |
| Y Mitchell, Christian(D)            | Y Moffitt(R)                    |
| Y Poe(R)                            | Y Rosenthal(R)                  |
| Y Scherer(D)                        |                                 |

Representative Phelps, Chairperson, from the Committee on Public Utilities to which the following were referred, action taken on February 26, 2013, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported “do pass as amended” and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILLS 1379 and 1453.

The committee roll call vote on House Bills 1379 and 1453 is as follows:  
16, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

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| Y Phelps(D), Chairperson             | Y Thapedi(D), Vice-Chairperson |
| A Bost(R), Republican Spokesperson   | A Arroyo(D)                    |
| Y Brauer(R)                          | Y Brown(R)                     |
| Y Cabello(R)                         | Y Crespo(D)                    |
| A Farnham(D)                         | Y Feigenholtz(D)               |
| Y Burke, Kelly(D) (replacing Franks) | Y Golar(D)                     |
| Y Gordon-Booth(D)                    | Y Hatcher(R)                   |
| A Hoffman(D)                         | A Jefferson(D)                 |
| Y Mayfield(D)                        | Y McAuliffe(R)                 |
| Y Reboletti(R)                       | Y Sullivan(R)                  |
| Y Tracy(R)                           |                                |

Representative Gabel, Chairperson, from the Committee on Human Services to which the following were referred, action taken on February 27, 2013, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported “do pass” and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILL 1457.

The committee roll call vote on House Bill 1457 is as follows:  
10, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

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| Y Gabel(D), Chairperson              | Y Smith(D), Vice-Chairperson |
| Y Osmond(R), Republican Spokesperson | Y Cabello(R)                 |
| Y Cassidy(D)                         | Y Demmer(R)                  |
| A Fine(D)                            | A Flowers(D)                 |
| Y Hammond(R)                         | Y Hatcher(R)                 |
| A Jakobsson(D)                       | A Mell(D)                    |
| Y Mussman(D)                         | Y Schmitz(R)                 |
| A Soto(D)                            |                              |

Representative Chapa LaVia, Chairperson, from the Committee on Elementary & Secondary Education to which the following were referred, action taken on February 27, 2013, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported “do pass as amended” and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILL 64.

The committee roll call vote on House Bill 64 is as follows:

8, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Chapa LaVia(D), Chairperson	Y Ford(D) (replacing Crespo)
Y Pihos(R), Republican Spokesperson	A Davis, Monique(D)
A Dunkin(D)	Y Evans(D)
A Golar(D)	A Lilly(D)
Y Mitchell, Bill(R)	Y Moffitt(R)
Y Roth(R)	Y Wheeler(R)

Representative Zalewski, Chairperson, from the Committee on Health Care Licenses to which the following were referred, action taken on February 27, 2013, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported “do pass” and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILL 1388.

The committee roll call vote on House Bill 1388 is as follows:

8, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Zalewski(D), Chairperson	Y Verschoore(D), Vice-Chairperson
Y McAuliffe(R), Republican Spokesperson	A Brown(R)
A Burke, Kelly(D)	Y Ford(D)
Y Hurley(D)	Y Kosel(R)
Y Phelps(D)	Y Davidsmeyer(R) (replacing Sandack)

Representative Nekritz, Chairperson, from the Committee on Judiciary to which the following were referred, action taken on February 27, 2013, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported “do pass” and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILLS 1022, 1346, 1443 and 1458.

That the bill be reported “do pass as amended” and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILL 1017.

The committee roll call vote on House Bills 1017, 1022, 1443 and 1458 is as follows:

15, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Nekritz(D), Chairperson	Y Williams(D), Vice-Chairperson
Y Reboletti(R), Republican Spokesperson	Y Walsh(D) (replacing Bradley)
Y Drury(D)	Y Durkin(R)
Y Hoffman(D)	Y Kay(R)
Y Sacia(R)	Y Sandack(R)
Y Sims(D)	Y Thapedi(D)
A Tracy(R)	Y Turner(D)
Y Welch(D)	Y Zalewski(D)

The committee roll call vote on House Bill 1346 is as follows:

11, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Nekritz(D), Chairperson	Y Williams(D), Vice-Chairperson
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A Reboletti(R), Republican Spokesperson	Y Walsh(D) (replacing Bradley)
Y Drury(D)	Y Durkin(R)
A Hoffman(D)	Y Kay(R)
A Sacia(R)	Y Sandack(R)
A Sims(D)	Y Thapedi(D)
A Tracy(R)	Y Turner(D)
Y Welch(D)	Y Zalewski(D)

Representative D'Amico, Chairperson, from the Committee on Transportation: Vehicles & Safety to which the following were referred, action taken on February 27, 2013, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported "do pass" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILLS 198, 989, 1461 and 1529.

That the bill be reported "do pass as amended" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILL 1256.

The committee roll call vote on House Bills 198, 989, 1256, 1461 and 1529 is as follows:  
9, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y D'Amico(D), Chairperson	Y Beiser(D), Vice-Chairperson
Y Hatcher(R), Republican Spokesperson	Y Harris, David(R)
Y Mayfield(D)	Y Martwick(D)
Y Mitchell, Bill(R)	Y Moylan(D)
Y Unes(R)	

#### **MOTIONS SUBMITTED**

Representative Pihos submitted the following written motion, which was placed on the order of Motions in Writing:

#### **MOTION**

Pursuant to Rule 60(b), I move to table HOUSE BILL 2989.

#### **CORRECTIONAL NOTES SUPPLIED**

Correctional Notes have been supplied for HOUSE BILLS 1154, as amended, 1165, as amended and 1166, as amended.

#### **JUDICIAL NOTES SUPPLIED**

Judicial Notes have been supplied for HOUSE BILLS 1154, as amended, 1165, as amended and 1166, as amended.

#### **LAND CONVEYANCE APPRAISAL NOTES SUPPLIED**

Land Conveyance Appraisal Notes have been supplied for HOUSE BILLS 1154, as amended, 1165, as amended and 1166, as amended; SENATE BILL 10.

#### **HOUSING AFFORDABILITY IMPACT NOTE SUPPLIED**

Housing Affordability Impact Notes have been supplied for HOUSE BILLS 1154, as amended and 1166, amended; SENATE BILL 10.

#### **STATE MANDATES FISCAL NOTES SUPPLIED**

State Mandates Fiscal Notes have been supplied for HOUSE BILLS 1154, as amended, 1165, as amended and 1166, as amended.

#### **HOME RULE NOTES SUPPLIED**

Home Rule Notes have been supplied for HOUSE BILLS 1154, as amended, 1165, as amended and 1166, as amended.

#### **PENSION NOTE SUPPLIED**

A Pension Note has been supplied for HOUSE BILL 1154, as amended.

#### **STATE DEBT IMPACT NOTES SUPPLIED**

State Debt Impact Notes have been supplied for HOUSE BILLS 1154, as amended, 1165, as amended and 1166, as amended.

#### **FISCAL NOTE SUPPLIED**

A Fiscal Note has been supplied for SENATE BILL 10.

#### **BALANCED BUDGET NOTE SUPPLIED**

A Balanced Budget Note has been supplied for SENATE BILL 10.

#### **REQUEST FOR FISCAL NOTE**

Representative Reis requested that a Fiscal Note be supplied for SENATE BILL 10.

#### **REQUEST FOR BALANCED BUDGET NOTE**

Representative Halbrook requested that a Balanced Budget Note be supplied for SENATE BILL 10.

#### **REQUEST FOR JUDICIAL NOTE**

Representative Rosenthal requested that a Judicial Note be supplied for SENATE BILL 10.

#### **REQUEST FOR STATE DEBT IMPACT NOTE**

Representative Bost requested that a State Debt Impact Note be supplied for SENATE BILL 10.

**REQUEST FOR HOUSING AFFORDABILITY IMPACT NOTE**

Representative Ives requested that a Housing Affordability Impact Note be supplied for SENATE BILL 10.

**REQUEST FOR PENSION NOTE**

Representative Harms requested that a Pension Note be supplied for SENATE BILL 10.

**REQUEST FOR HOME RULE NOTE**

Representative McSweeney requested that a Home Rule Note be supplied for SENATE BILL 10.

**REQUEST FOR LAND CONVEYANCE APPRAISAL NOTE**

Representative Kay requested that a Land Conveyance Appraisal Note be supplied for SENATE BILL 10.

**REQUEST FOR STATE MANDATES FISCAL NOTE**

Representative Morrison requested that a State Mandates Fiscal Note be supplied for SENATE BILL 10.

**REQUEST FOR CORRECTIONAL NOTE**

Representative Cavaletto requested that a Correctional Note be supplied for SENATE BILL 10.

**HOME RULE NOTE REQUEST WITHDRAWN**

Representative McSweeney withdrew his request for a Home Rule Note on SENATE BILL 10.

**CHANGE OF SPONSORSHIP**

With the consent of the affected members, Representative Cross was removed as principal sponsor, and Representative Pritchard became the new principal sponsor of HOUSE BILL 1743.

With the consent of the affected members, Representative Bellock was removed as principal sponsor, and Representative Durkin became the new principal sponsor of HOUSE BILL 2839.

**HOUSE RESOLUTIONS**

The following resolutions were offered and placed in the Committee on Rules.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION 105**

Offered by Representative Flowers:

WHEREAS, The Chicago Public School system (CPS) is studying ways to best consolidate a school district that according to their formula has too many seats, too few students to fill those seats, and not

nearly enough funds to maintain that excess capacity; and

WHEREAS, In doing so they have actively sought input from all Chicagoans given the potentially devastating impact school closures can have on a community; and

WHEREAS, A major factor contributing to the underutilization of CPS schools is the expansion of charter schools in Chicago; currently, the number of seats available in charter schools amounts to more than half of the reported excess capacity; moreover, any future expansion of charter schools will further exacerbate this problem; and

WHEREAS, It is not sound fiscal policy to fund the creation of any additional schools while facing such a large gap between enrollment and capacity; and

WHEREAS, CPS should not simultaneously close schools for budget reasons and fund the creation of additional privately operated charter schools; and

WHEREAS, Every seat created in a new charter school potentially increases what CPS has called the "chronic underutilization" of the public schools; and

WHEREAS, The Chicago City Council has previously passed a resolution advocating the Chicago Board of Education establish a moratorium on charter school expansion for the 2014-2015 school year to allow CPS, parents, and community members time to fully understand the impact of pending school closures; those aldermen approving of such a moratorium are: Matthew O'Shea, Pat Dowell, Ricardo Munoz, Willie Cochran, John Pope, Mary O'Connor, Lona Lane, John Arena, Carrie Austin, JoAnn Thompson, Toni Foulkes, Margaret Laurino, Joe Moreno, Roberto Maldonado, Harry Osterman, James Cappleman, Michael Chandler, Emma Mitts, Ameya Pawar, Roderick Sawyer, Latasha Thomas, Scott Waguespack, Robert Fioretti, Nicholas Sposato, Timothy M. Cullerton, Walter Burnett Jr., Joseph A. Moore, Leslie Hairston, and William Burns; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we urge the Chicago Board of Education to establish a moratorium on charter school expansion for the 2014-2015 school year; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the Chicago Board of Education.

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION 106

Offered by Representative Rosenthal:

WHEREAS, Since September 11, 2001, 2,700,000 people have served in the military, and their unemployment rate has constantly been higher than non-veterans; and

WHEREAS, Young veterans and women veterans often suffer even higher rates of unemployment; and

WHEREAS, Over 1,000,000 more Iraq and Afghanistan-era veterans are expected to return to civilian life in the next 5 years; and

WHEREAS, The Department of Employment Security provides Illinois Job Link, a no-cost, self-service job matching system for job seekers and employers; and

WHEREAS, The Department of Veterans' Affairs offers other assistance to veterans through the VETS program, which includes assistance from local veteran employment representatives, workshops on job hunting, resume writing, and interviewing techniques, and federal contractors' job listings; and

WHEREAS, Illinois agencies and departments should continue to do everything in their power to help those who served our nation find employment; and

WHEREAS, The Internet provides a tool for veterans to locate services and information on available jobs; and

WHEREAS, An easily searchable web site that matches individualized job listings with individualized skill sets possessed by available veterans would help assist veterans in finding full-time employment; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we urge the Department of Employment Security and the Department of Veterans' Affairs to create a veterans' jobs Internet web site, easily accessible to veterans, offering job openings that match their skills to prospective employers; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be presented to the Director of Veterans' Affairs and the Director of Employment Security.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 107

Offered by Representative Tryon:

WHEREAS, The Drycleaner Environmental Response Trust Fund Council has delegated many of its programmatic responsibilities under the Drycleaner Environmental Response Trust Fund Act, including the duty to receive and process license applications and the duty to receive and process claims, to a private company, Williams and Company Consulting, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, This delegation of programmatic duties potentially threatens the regulatory scheme established under the Drycleaner Environmental Response Trust Fund Act; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that the Auditor General is directed pursuant to Sections 3-2 and 3-5 of the Illinois State Auditing Act to conduct a performance audit of the Drycleaner Environmental Response Trust Fund Council to ensure that Williams and Company Consulting is administering the Council's programmatic responsibilities in a manner that is consistent with the requirements of the Drycleaner Environmental Response Trust Fund Act and rules adopted under that Act; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Auditor General investigate and report on the number of states that have a drycleaner environmental cleanup insurance system that is similar to the system overseen by the Council and administered by Williams and Company Consulting, Inc.; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Auditor General investigate and report on how many states have privatized the operation of their drycleaner environmental cleanup insurance systems; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Auditor General investigate and report on the number of drycleaners in Illinois whose participation in the State's drycleaner environmental cleanup insurance system has been terminated for noncompliance with the Drycleaner Environmental Response Trust Fund Act and rules adopted under that Act; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Auditor General commence this audit as soon as possible and report the findings and recommendations upon completion in accordance with the Illinois State Auditing Act; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Drycleaner Environmental Response Trust Fund Council and Williams and Company Consulting, Inc., shall provide all needed information that the Auditor General deems necessary; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be delivered to the Auditor General and to each of the members of the Drycleaner Environmental Response Trust Fund Council.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 22

Offered by Representative Harms:

WHEREAS, With the State's current dire financial situation, the reduction of State expenses must be implemented wherever possible; and

WHEREAS, Suggestions have been made that reductions could be made by reducing expenses of State boards and commissions and the compensation paid to the members of those entities; and

WHEREAS, The General Assembly should conduct a thorough analysis of expenses incurred by State boards and commissions, including expenses resulting from compensation paid to members of those entities, to determine where a reduction or elimination of expenses may be made; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that there is created a bipartisan Boards and Commissions Advisory Panel for the purpose of conducting an exhaustive analysis of all statutorily created advisory panels, authorities, boards, commissions, committees, councils, and task forces to determine where cost savings may be made; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Boards and Commissions Advisory Panel shall, at a minimum, review the activity status of all statutorily created advisory panels, authorities, boards, commissions, committees, councils, and task forces to determine if all vacancies on these entities have been filled, if these entities are meeting, and how members of these entities are compensated and to calculate the various expenses of these

entities; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Advisory Panel shall report its findings and recommendations for reductions to the General Assembly by filing a report with the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Representatives before June 30, 2014; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Advisory Panel shall have 12 voting members, as follows: 3 members of the Senate appointed by the President of the Senate, 3 members of the Senate appointed by the Senate Minority Leader, 3 members of the House of Representatives appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and 3 members of the House of Representatives appointed by the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Governor, or his or her designee, shall serve as an ex-officio, non-voting member of the Advisory Panel; and be it further

RESOLVED, That one member from each political party shall be selected by the Advisory Panel members to serve as a co-chairperson; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Advisory Panel shall meet at the call of the co-chairpersons and that the members shall serve without compensation; and be it further

RESOLVED, That all actions of the Advisory Panel require the affirmative vote of at least 7 voting members; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Governor's Office of Executive Appointments shall provide staff support to the Advisory Panel; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be delivered to the Governor of the State of Illinois.

### **AGREED RESOLUTIONS**

The following resolutions were offered and placed on the Calendar on the order of Agreed Resolutions.

#### **HOUSE RESOLUTION 103**

Offered by Representative Jakobsson:

Congratulates the staff and administration of the University of Illinois on the occasion of the 50th anniversary of the university's Assembly Hall.

#### **HOUSE RESOLUTION 104**

Offered by Representative Osmond:

Mourns the death of Peter J. Keim of Richmond.

### **HOUSE BILLS ON SECOND READING**

HOUSE BILL 61. Having been reproduced, was taken up and read by title a second time.

Amendment No. 1 was offered in the Committee on Human Services, adopted and reproduced.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed; and the bill, as amended, was advanced to the order of Third Reading.

HOUSE BILL 99. Having been reproduced, was taken up and read by title a second time.

Amendment No. 1 was offered in the Committee on Financial Institutions, adopted and reproduced.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed; and the bill, as amended, was advanced to the order of Third Reading.

Having been reproduced, the following bills were taken up, read by title a second time and advanced to the order of Third Reading: HOUSE BILLS 105 and 167.

HOUSE BILL 181. Having been reproduced, was taken up and read by title a second time.

Amendment No. 1 was offered in the Committee on Judiciary, adopted and reproduced.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed; and the bill, as amended, was advanced to the order of Third Reading.

Having been reproduced, the following bills were taken up, read by title a second time and advanced to the order of Third Reading: HOUSE BILLS 183, 188, 192 and 194.

HOUSE BILL 193. Having been reproduced, was taken up and read by title a second time.

Amendment No. 1 was offered in the Committee on Executive, adopted and reproduced.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed; and the bill, as amended, was advanced to the order of Third Reading.

Having been reproduced, the following bills were taken up, read by title a second time and advanced to the order of Third Reading: HOUSE BILLS 141, 956, 958, 966, 984, 986 and 991.

Having been reproduced, the following bill was taken up, read by title a second time and held on the order of Second Reading: HOUSE BILL 997.

Having been reproduced, the following bills were taken up, read by title a second time and advanced to the order of Third Reading: HOUSE BILLS 1002, 1005, 1009, 1010, 1013, 1020, 1045 and 1048.

Having been reproduced, the following bill was taken up, read by title a second time and held on the order of Second Reading: HOUSE BILL 1154.

Having been reproduced, the following bills were taken up, read by title a second time and advanced to the order of Third Reading: HOUSE BILLS 1156 and 1157.

Having been reproduced, the following bills were taken up, read by title a second time and held on the order of Second Reading: HOUSE BILLS 1165 and 1166.

HOUSE BILL 1209. Having been reproduced, was taken up and read by title a second time.

Representative Mautino offered Amendment No. 1 and moved its adoption.

The foregoing motion prevailed and Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed; and the bill, as amended, was advanced to the order of Third Reading.

Having been reproduced, the following bills were taken up, read by title a second time and advanced to the order of Third Reading: HOUSE BILLS 1191, 1233, 1247, 1283, 1295, 1309, 1311, 1314, 1315, 1316, 1317, 1318, 1319, 1327, 1353 and 1402.

### **HOUSE BILL ON THIRD READING**

The following bills and any amendments adopted thereto were reproduced. These bills have been examined, any amendments thereto engrossed and any errors corrected. Any amendments still pending upon the passage or defeat of a bill on Third Reading are automatically tabled pursuant to Rule 40(a).

On motion of Representative Osmond, HOUSE BILL 161 was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?"

Pending the vote on said bill, on motion of Representative Osmond, further consideration of HOUSE BILL 161 was postponed.

### **RESOLUTIONS**

Having been reported out of the Committee on Elementary & Secondary Education on February 20, 2013, HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Chapa LaVia moved the adoption of the resolution.

And on that motion, a vote was taken resulting as follows:  
118, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 2)

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.  
Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate and ask their concurrence.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Transportation: Regulation, Roads & Bridges on February 19, 2013, HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 4 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Beiser moved the adoption of the resolution.

And on that motion, a vote was taken resulting as follows:  
117, Yeas; 0, Nays; 1, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 3)

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.  
Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate and ask their concurrence.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Transportation: Regulation, Roads & Bridges on February 19, 2013, HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 6 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Osmond moved the adoption of the resolution.

And on that motion, a vote was taken resulting as follows:  
118, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 4)

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.  
Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate and ask their concurrence.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Human Services on February 20, 2013, HOUSE RESOLUTION 6 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Flowers moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

Having been reported out of the Committee on Human Services on February 20, 2013, HOUSE RESOLUTION 8 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Flowers moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

### **RECALL**

At the request of the principal sponsor, Representative Riley, HOUSE BILL 1295 was recalled from the order of Third Reading to the order of Second Reading and held on that order.

### **RESOLUTION**

Having been reported out of the Committee on Elementary & Secondary Education on February 20, 2013, HOUSE RESOLUTION 20 was taken up for consideration.

Representative McAsey moved the adoption of the resolution.  
The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

### **AGREED RESOLUTIONS**

HOUSE RESOLUTIONS 103 and 104 were taken up for consideration.

Representative Currie moved the adoption of the agreed resolutions.

The motion prevailed and the agreed resolutions were adopted.

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At the hour of 1:03 o'clock p.m., Representative Currie moved that the House do now adjourn until Thursday, February 28, 2013, at 11:30 o'clock a.m., allowing perfunctory time for the Clerk.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

STATE OF ILLINOIS  
NINETY-EIGHTH  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
HOUSE ROLL CALL  
QUORUM ROLL CALL FOR ATTENDANCE

February 27, 2013

0 YEAS

0 NAYS

118 PRESENT

P Acevedo	P Durkin	P Lang	P Sacia
P Arroyo	P Evans	P Leitch	P Sandack
P Beiser	P Farnham	P Lilly	P Scherer
P Bellock	P Feigenholtz	P Manley	P Schmitz
P Berrios	P Fine	P Martwick	P Senger
P Bost	P Flowers	P Mautino	P Sente
P Bradley	P Ford	P Mayfield	P Sims
P Brady	P Fortner	P McAsey	P Smiddy
P Brauer	P Franks	P McAuliffe	P Smith
P Brown	P Gabel	P McSweeney	P Sommer
P Burke, Daniel	P Golar	P Meier	P Sosnowski
P Burke, Kelly	P Gordon-Booth	P Mell	P Soto
P Cabello	P Halbrook	P Mitchell, Bill	P Sullivan
P Cassidy	P Hammond	P Mitchell, Christian	P Tabares
P Cavaletto	P Harms	P Moffitt	P Thapedi
P Chapa LaVia	P Harris, David	P Morrison	P Tracy
P Cloonen	P Harris, Greg	P Moylan	P Tryon
P Conroy	P Hatcher	P Mussman	P Turner
P Costello	P Hays	P Nekritz	P Unes
P Crespo	P Hernandez	P Osmond	P Verschoore
P Cross	P Hoffman	P Phelps	P Walsh
P Currie	P Hurley	P Pihos	P Welch
P D'Amico	P Ives	P Poe	P Wheeler
P Davidsmeyer	P Jackson	P Pritchard	P Williams
P Davis, Monique	P Jakobsson	P Reboletti	P Willis
P Davis, William	P Jefferson	P Reis	P Yingling
P DeLuca	P Jones	P Riley	P Zalewski
P Demmer	P Kay	P Rita	P Mr. Speaker
P Drury	P Kifowit	P Rosenthal	
P Dunkin	P Kosel	P Roth	

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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
NINETY-EIGHTH  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
HOUSE ROLL CALL  
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1  
CHICAGO TRUANCY TASK FORCE  
ADOPTED

February 27, 2013

118 YEAS

0 NAYS

0 PRESENT

Y Acevedo	Y Durkin	Y Lang	Y Sacia
Y Arroyo	Y Evans	Y Leitch	Y Sandack
Y Beiser	Y Farnham	Y Lilly	Y Scherer
Y Bellock	Y Feigenholtz	Y Manley	Y Schmitz
Y Berrios	Y Fine	Y Martwick	Y Senger
Y Bost	Y Flowers	Y Mautino	Y Sente
Y Bradley	Y Ford	Y Mayfield	Y Sims
Y Brady	Y Fortner	Y McAsey	Y Smiddy
Y Brauer	Y Franks	Y McAuliffe	Y Smith
Y Brown	Y Gabel	Y McSweeney	Y Sommer
Y Burke, Daniel	Y Golar	Y Meier	Y Sosnowski
Y Burke, Kelly	Y Gordon-Booth	Y Mell	Y Soto
Y Cabello	Y Halbrook	Y Mitchell, Bill	Y Sullivan
Y Cassidy	Y Hammond	Y Mitchell, Christian	Y Tabares
Y Cavaletto	Y Harms	Y Moffitt	Y Thapedi
Y Chapa LaVia	Y Harris, David	Y Morrison	Y Tracy
Y Cloonen	Y Harris, Greg	Y Moylan	Y Tryon
Y Conroy	Y Hatcher	Y Mussman	Y Turner
Y Costello	Y Hays	Y Nekritz	Y Unes
Y Crespo	Y Hernandez	Y Osmond	Y Verschoore
Y Cross	Y Hoffman	Y Phelps	Y Walsh
Y Currie	Y Hurley	Y Pihos	Y Welch
Y D'Amico	Y Ives	Y Poe	Y Wheeler
Y Davidsmeyer	Y Jackson	Y Pritchard	Y Williams
Y Davis, Monique	Y Jakobsson	Y Reboletti	Y Willis
Y Davis, William	Y Jefferson	Y Reis	Y Yingling
Y DeLuca	Y Jones	Y Riley	Y Zalewski
Y Demmer	Y Kay	Y Rita	Y Mr. Speaker
Y Drury	Y Kifowit	Y Rosenthal	
Y Dunkin	Y Kosel	Y Roth	

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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
 NINETY-EIGHTH  
 GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
 HOUSE ROLL CALL  
 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 4  
 JERRY F. COSTELLO EXPRESSWAY  
 ADOPTED

February 27, 2013

117 YEAS

0 NAYS

1 PRESENT

Y Acevedo	Y Durkin	Y Lang	Y Sacia
Y Arroyo	Y Evans	Y Leitch	Y Sandack
Y Beiser	Y Farnham	Y Lilly	Y Scherer
Y Bellock	Y Feigenholtz	Y Manley	Y Schmitz
Y Berrios	Y Fine	Y Martwick	Y Senger
Y Bost	Y Flowers	Y Mautino	Y Sente
Y Bradley	Y Ford	Y Mayfield	Y Sims
Y Brady	Y Fortner	Y McAsey	Y Smiddy
Y Brauer	Y Franks	Y McAuliffe	Y Smith
Y Brown	Y Gabel	Y McSweeney	Y Sommer
Y Burke, Daniel	Y Golar	Y Meier	Y Sosnowski
Y Burke, Kelly	Y Gordon-Booth	Y Mell	Y Soto
Y Cabello	Y Halbrook	Y Mitchell, Bill	Y Sullivan
Y Cassidy	Y Hammond	Y Mitchell, Christian	Y Tabares
Y Cavaletto	Y Harms	Y Moffitt	Y Thapedi
Y Chapa LaVia	Y Harris, David	Y Morrison	Y Tracy
Y Cloonen	Y Harris, Greg	Y Moylan	Y Tryon
Y Conroy	Y Hatcher	Y Mussman	Y Turner
P Costello	Y Hays	Y Nekritz	Y Unes
Y Crespo	Y Hernandez	Y Osmond	Y Verschoore
Y Cross	Y Hoffman	Y Phelps	Y Walsh
Y Currie	Y Hurley	Y Pihos	Y Welch
Y D'Amico	Y Ives	Y Poe	Y Wheeler
Y Davidsmeyer	Y Jackson	Y Pritchard	Y Williams
Y Davis, Monique	Y Jakobsson	Y Reboletti	Y Willis
Y Davis, William	Y Jefferson	Y Reis	Y Yingling
Y DeLuca	Y Jones	Y Riley	Y Zalewski
Y Demmer	Y Kay	Y Rita	Y Mr. Speaker
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Y Dunkin	Y Kosel	Y Roth	

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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
NINETY-EIGHTH  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
HOUSE ROLL CALL  
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 6  
ALLEN J. LYNCH MOH OVERPASS  
ADOPTED

February 27, 2013

118 YEAS

0 NAYS

0 PRESENT

Y Acevedo	Y Durkin	Y Lang	Y Sacia
Y Arroyo	Y Evans	Y Leitch	Y Sandack
Y Beiser	Y Farnham	Y Lilly	Y Scherer
Y Bellock	Y Feigenholtz	Y Manley	Y Schmitz
Y Berrios	Y Fine	Y Martwick	Y Senger
Y Bost	Y Flowers	Y Mautino	Y Sente
Y Bradley	Y Ford	Y Mayfield	Y Sims
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Y Brown	Y Gabel	Y McSweeney	Y Sommer
Y Burke, Daniel	Y Golar	Y Meier	Y Sosnowski
Y Burke, Kelly	Y Gordon-Booth	Y Mell	Y Soto
Y Cabello	Y Halbrook	Y Mitchell, Bill	Y Sullivan
Y Cassidy	Y Hammond	Y Mitchell, Christian	Y Tabares
Y Cavaletto	Y Harms	Y Moffitt	Y Thapedi
Y Chapa LaVia	Y Harris, David	Y Morrison	Y Tracy
Y Cloonen	Y Harris, Greg	Y Moylan	Y Tryon
Y Conroy	Y Hatcher	Y Mussman	Y Turner
Y Costello	Y Hays	Y Nekritz	Y Unes
Y Crespo	Y Hernandez	Y Osmond	Y Verschoore
Y Cross	Y Hoffman	Y Phelps	Y Walsh
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Y D'Amico	Y Ives	Y Poe	Y Wheeler
Y Davidsmeyer	Y Jackson	Y Pritchard	Y Williams
Y Davis, Monique	Y Jakobsson	Y Reboletti	Y Willis
Y Davis, William	Y Jefferson	Y Reis	Y Yingling
Y DeLuca	Y Jones	Y Riley	Y Zalewski
Y Demmer	Y Kay	Y Rita	Y Mr. Speaker
Y Drury	Y Kifowit	Y Rosenthal	
Y Dunkin	Y Kosel	Y Roth	

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At the hour of 4:14 o'clock p.m., the House reconvened perfunctory session.

### **TEMPORARY COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS**

Representative Jefferson replaced Representative Mautino in the Committee on Rules on February 27, 2013.

### **REPORT FROM THE COMMITTEE ON RULES**

Representative Currie, Chairperson, from the Committee on Rules to which the following were referred, action taken on February 27, 2013, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

#### **LEGISLATIVE MEASURES APPROVED FOR FLOOR CONSIDERATION:**

That the Floor Amendment be reported "recommends be adopted":  
 Amendment No. 1, 2 to HOUSE BILL 1154.  
 Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL 1165.  
 Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL 1166.

#### **LEGISLATIVE MEASURES ASSIGNED TO COMMITTEE:**

Human Services: HOUSE BILL 1.

#### **LEGISLATIVE MEASURES REASSIGNED TO COMMITTEE:**

HOUSE BILL 23 was recalled from the Committee on Consumer Protection and reassigned to the Committee on Health Care Availability and Accessibility.

The committee roll call vote on the foregoing Legislative Measures is as follows:  
 4, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Currie(D), Chairperson  
 Y Lang(D)  
 Y Jefferson(D) (replacing Mautino)

Y Schmitz(R), Republican Spokesperson  
 A Leitch(R)

### **INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS**

The following bills were introduced, read by title a first time, ordered reproduced and placed in the Committee on Rules:

HOUSE BILL 3414. Introduced by Representative Sullivan, AN ACT concerning safety.

HOUSE BILL 3415. Introduced by Representative Phelps, AN ACT concerning business.

HOUSE BILL 3416. Introduced by Representative Sullivan, AN ACT concerning local government.

### **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS FIRST READING**

Representative Bill Mitchell introduced the following:

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION  
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 21**

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the general election next occurring at least 6 months after the adoption of this resolution a proposition to amend Article VIII of the Illinois Constitution by changing Section 2 as follows:

ARTICLE VIII  
FINANCE

SECTION 2. STATE FINANCE

(a) The Governor shall prepare and submit to the General Assembly, at a time prescribed by law, a State budget for the ensuing fiscal year. The budget shall set forth the estimated balance of funds available for appropriation at the beginning of the fiscal year, the estimated receipts, and a plan for expenditures and obligations during the fiscal year of every department, authority, public corporation and quasi-public corporation of the State, every State college and university, and every other public agency created by the State, but not of units of local government or school districts. The budget shall also set forth the indebtedness and contingent liabilities of the State and such other information as may be required by law. Proposed expenditures shall not exceed funds estimated to be available for the fiscal year as shown in the budget.

(b) The General Assembly by law shall make appropriations for all expenditures of public funds by the State. Appropriations for a fiscal year shall not exceed funds estimated by the General Assembly to be available during that year.

(c) Except upon a record vote of three-fifths of the members elected to each house of the General Assembly, the total aggregate appropriations for each fiscal year shall not exceed the previous fiscal year's total aggregate appropriations by the greater of 4% of the previous fiscal year's total aggregate appropriations or a percentage representing the sum of the percentage rate of inflation and the percentage rate of the State's population growth since the previous fiscal year. State revenues in excess of a fiscal year's total aggregate appropriations as calculated under this subsection shall be deposited into a rainy day fund within the State treasury established and to be used for purposes provided by law. Moneys appropriated for elementary or secondary education, and moneys appropriated to any public or private university or community college in the State, shall not be included as part of the State's aggregate appropriations in any fiscal year.

(Source: Illinois Constitution.)

SCHEDULE

This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being declared adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the Illinois Constitutional Amendment Act.

The foregoing HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 21 was taken up, read in full a first time, ordered reproduced and placed in the Committee on Rules.

Representative Ives introduced the following:

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION  
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 22**

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the general election next occurring at least 6 months after the adoption of this resolution a proposition to amend the Illinois Constitution by adding Section 2.5 to Article IV as follows:

ARTICLE IV  
THE LEGISLATURE

**SECTION 2.5. TERM LIMITS**

No person may hold the office of State Senator or State Representative, or a combination of those offices, for more than 12 consecutive years.

**SCHEDULE**

This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being declared adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the Illinois Constitutional Amendment Act.

The foregoing HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 22 was taken up, read in full a first time, ordered reproduced and placed in the Committee on Rules.

Representative Drury introduced the following:

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION  
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 23**

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the general election next occurring at least 6 months after the adoption of this resolution a proposition to amend Article IV of the Illinois Constitution by changing Section 6 as follows:

**ARTICLE IV  
THE LEGISLATURE**

**SECTION 6. ORGANIZATION**

(a) A majority of the members elected to each house constitutes a quorum.

(b) On the first day of the January session of the General Assembly in odd-numbered years, the Secretary of State shall convene the House of Representatives to elect from its membership a Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, and the Governor shall convene the Senate to elect from its membership a President of the Senate as presiding officer. A person may not serve more than a total of 10 years in the office of Speaker of the House of Representatives, President of the Senate, Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, or Minority Leader of the Senate; provided that service before the second Wednesday in January of 2015 shall not be considered in the calculation of a person's service.

(c) For purposes of powers of appointment conferred by this Constitution, the Minority Leader of either house is a member of the numerically strongest political party other than the party to which the Speaker or the President belongs, as the case may be.

(d) Each house shall determine the rules of its proceedings, judge the elections, returns and qualifications of its members and choose its officers. No member shall be expelled by either house, except by a vote of two-thirds of the members elected to that house. A member may be expelled only once for the same offense. Each house may punish by imprisonment any person, not a member, guilty of disrespect to the house by disorderly or contemptuous behavior in its presence. Imprisonment shall not extend beyond twenty-four hours at one time unless the person persists in disorderly or contemptuous behavior.

(Source: Illinois Constitution.)

**SCHEDULE**

This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being declared adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the Illinois Constitutional Amendment Act.

The foregoing HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 23 was taken up, read in full a first time, ordered reproduced and placed in the Committee on Rules.

Representative Smiddy introduced the following:

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION  
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 24**

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that there shall

be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the general election next occurring at least 6 months after the adoption of this resolution a proposition to amend Article I by adding Section 22.1 as follows:

ARTICLE I  
BILL OF RIGHTS

SECTION 22.1. RIGHT TO HUNT AND FISH

The people have a right to hunt and fish as it is a valued part of our heritage and shall be forever preserved for the public good, subject only to the laws prescribed by the General Assembly and rules prescribed by the virtue of the authority of the General Assembly. Hunting and fishing shall be the preferred means of managing and controlling wildlife. This Section shall not be construed to limit the application of any provision of law relating to trespass or property rights.

SCHEDULE

This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being declared adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the Illinois Constitutional Amendment Act.

The foregoing HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 24 was taken up, read in full a first time, ordered reproduced and placed in the Committee on Rules.

Representative Lilly introduced the following:

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION  
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 25**

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the general election next occurring at least 6 months after the adoption of this resolution a proposition to amend Sections 2 and 5 of Article IV of the Illinois Constitution as follows:

ARTICLE IV  
THE LEGISLATURE

SECTION 2. LEGISLATIVE COMPOSITION

(a) One Senator shall be elected from each Legislative District. Immediately following each decennial redistricting, the General Assembly by law shall divide the Legislative Districts as equally as possible into three groups. Senators from one group shall be elected for terms of four years, four years and two years; Senators from the second group, for terms of four years, two years and four years; and Senators from the third group, for terms of two years, four years and four years. The Legislative Districts in each group shall be distributed substantially equally over the State.

(b) Each Legislative District shall be divided into two Representative Districts. ~~In 1982 and every two years thereafter~~ One Representative shall be elected from each Representative District ~~for a term of two years~~. During each ten-year period, beginning with the general election in 2022, Representatives shall first be elected for terms of four years, then for terms of two years, and then for terms of four years.

(c) To be eligible to serve as a member of the General Assembly, a person must be a United States citizen, at least 21 years old, and for the two years preceding his election or appointment a resident of the district which he is to represent. In the general election following a redistricting, a candidate for the General Assembly may be elected from any district which contains a part of the district in which he resided at the time of the redistricting and reelected if a resident of the new district he represents for 18 months prior to reelection.

(d) Within thirty days after a vacancy occurs, it shall be filled by appointment as provided by law. If the vacancy is in a Senatorial or Representative office with more than twenty-eight months remaining in the term, the appointed Senator or Representative shall serve until the next general election, at which time a Senator or Representative shall be elected to serve for the remainder of the term. If the vacancy is in any other Senatorial or a Representative office ~~or in any other Senatorial office~~, the appointment shall be for the remainder of the term. An appointee to fill a vacancy shall be a member of the same political party as the person he succeeds.

(e) No member of the General Assembly shall receive compensation as a public officer or employee from any other governmental entity for time during which he is in attendance as a member of the General

Assembly.

No member of the General Assembly during the term for which he was elected or appointed shall be appointed to a public office which shall have been created or the compensation for which shall have been increased by the General Assembly during that term.

(Source: Amendment adopted at general election November 4, 1980.)

#### SECTION 5. SESSIONS

(a) The General Assembly shall convene each year on the second Wednesday of January. The General Assembly shall be a continuous body for a period beginning and ending at noon on the second Wednesday of January of consecutive odd-numbered years. ~~during the term for which members of the House of Representatives are elected.~~

(b) The Governor may convene the General Assembly or the Senate alone in special session by a proclamation stating the purpose of the session; and only business encompassed by such purpose, together with any impeachments or confirmation of appointments shall be transacted. Special sessions of the General Assembly may also be convened by joint proclamation of the presiding officers of both houses, issued as provided by law.

(c) Sessions of each house of the General Assembly and meetings of committees, joint committees and legislative commissions shall be open to the public. Sessions and committee meetings of a house may be closed to the public if two-thirds of the members elected to that house determine that the public interest so requires; and meetings of joint committees and legislative commissions may be so closed if two-thirds of the members elected to each house so determine.

(Source: Illinois Constitution.)

#### SCHEDULE

This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being declared adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the Illinois Constitutional Amendment Act and applies to the terms of Representatives elected in 2022 and thereafter.

The foregoing HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 25 was taken up, read in full a first time, ordered reproduced and placed in the Committee on Rules.

Representative Conroy introduced the following:

### **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 26**

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the general election next occurring at least 6 months after the adoption of this resolution a proposition to amend Section 11 of Article IV of the Illinois Constitution as follows:

#### ARTICLE IV THE LEGISLATURE

##### SECTION 11. COMPENSATION AND ALLOWANCES

(a) A member shall receive a salary and allowances as provided by law, but changes in the salary of a member shall not take effect during the term for which he has been elected.

(b) Notwithstanding subsection (a), for a term of office beginning on or after the date this subsection (b) is declared adopted, a member shall receive a salary in an amount equal to the salary that a member was entitled to receive on the date this subsection (b) is declared adopted, and that amount shall not thereafter be increased unless by the affirmative vote of the People of the State in accordance with Section 2 or 3 of Article XIV.

(Source: Illinois Constitution.)

#### SCHEDULE

This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being declared adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the Illinois Constitutional Amendment Act.

The foregoing HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 26 was taken up, read in full a first time, ordered reproduced and placed in the Committee on Rules.

Representative Drury introduced the following:

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION  
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 27**

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the general election next occurring at least 6 months after the adoption of this resolution a proposition to amend Article IV of the Illinois Constitution by changing Section 2 as follows:

ARTICLE IV  
THE LEGISLATURE

SECTION 2. LEGISLATIVE COMPOSITION

(a) One Senator shall be elected from each Legislative District. Immediately following each decennial redistricting, the General Assembly by law shall divide the Legislative Districts as equally as possible into three groups. Senators from one group shall be elected for terms of four years, four years and two years; Senators from the second group, for terms of four years, two years and four years; and Senators from the third group, for terms of two years, four years and four years. The Legislative Districts in each group shall be distributed substantially equally over the State.

(b) Each Legislative District shall be divided into two Representative Districts. In 1982 and every two years thereafter one Representative shall be elected from each Representative District for a term of two years.

(c) To be eligible to serve as a member of the General Assembly, a person must be a United States citizen, at least 21 years old, and for the two years preceding his election or appointment a resident of the district which he is to represent. In the general election following a redistricting, a candidate for the General Assembly may be elected from any district which contains a part of the district in which he resided at the time of the redistricting and reelected if a resident of the new district he represents for 18 months prior to reelection.

(d) Within thirty days after a vacancy occurs, it shall be filled by appointment as provided by law. If the vacancy is in a Senatorial office with more than twenty-eight months remaining in the term, the appointed Senator shall serve until the next general election, at which time a Senator shall be elected to serve for the remainder of the term. If the vacancy is in a Representative office or in any other Senatorial office, the appointment shall be for the remainder of the term. An appointee to fill a vacancy shall be a member of the same political party as the person he succeeds.

(e) No member of the General Assembly shall, during his or her term of office, hold any other elected public office. No member of the General Assembly shall receive compensation as a public ~~officer or~~ employee from any other governmental entity for time during which he is in attendance as a member of the General Assembly.

~~No member of the General Assembly during the term for which he was elected or appointed shall be appointed to a public office which shall have been created or the compensation for which shall have been increased by the General Assembly during that term.~~

(Source: Amendment adopted at general election November 4, 1980.)

SCHEDULE

This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being declared adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the Illinois Constitutional Amendment Act.

The foregoing HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 27 was taken up, read in full a first time, ordered reproduced and placed in the Committee on Rules.

Representative Durkin introduced the following:

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION  
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 28**

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the general election next occurring at least 6 months after the adoption of this resolution a proposition to amend Section 6 of Article IV of the Illinois Constitution as follows:

ARTICLE IV  
THE LEGISLATURE

SECTION 6. ORGANIZATION

- (a) A majority of the members elected to each house constitutes a quorum.
- (b) On the first day of the January session of the General Assembly in odd-numbered years, the Secretary of State shall convene the House of Representatives to elect from its membership a Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, and the Governor shall convene the Senate to elect from its membership a President of the Senate as presiding officer.
- (c) For purposes of powers of appointment conferred by this Constitution, the Minority Leader of either house is a member of the numerically strongest political party other than the party to which the Speaker or the President belongs, as the case may be.
- (d) Each house shall determine the rules of its proceedings, judge the elections, returns and qualifications of its members and choose its officers. No member shall be expelled by either house, except by a vote of two-thirds of the members elected to that house. ~~A member may be expelled only once for the same offense.~~ Each house may punish by imprisonment any person, not a member, guilty of disrespect to the house by disorderly or contemptuous behavior in its presence. Imprisonment shall not extend beyond twenty-four hours at one time unless the person persists in disorderly or contemptuous behavior. (Source: Illinois Constitution.)

SCHEDULE

This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being declared adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the Illinois Constitutional Amendment Act.

The foregoing HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 28 was taken up, read in full a first time, ordered reproduced and placed in the Committee on Rules.

Representative Pihos introduced the following:

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION  
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 29**

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the general election next occurring at least 6 months after the adoption of this resolution a proposition to add Section 8.1 to Article IV and to add Sections 2.1 and 2.2 to Article VIII of the Illinois Constitution as follows:

ARTICLE IV  
THE LEGISLATURE

SECTION 8.1. PASSAGE OF REVENUE BILLS

A bill that would result in the increase of revenue to the State by an increase of a tax on or measured by income or by an increase of a tax on or measured by the selling price of any item of tangible personal property may become law only with the concurrence of three-fifths of the members elected to each house of the General Assembly.

ARTICLE VIII  
FINANCE

SECTION 2.1. LIMITATIONS ON APPROPRIATIONS AND TRANSFERS

(a) For the fiscal year ending in 2015 and each fiscal year thereafter, aggregate appropriations and transfers from the general funds are limited as provided in this Section. "General funds" include the General Revenue Fund, the Common School Fund, the General Revenue Common School Special Account Fund, and the Education Assistance Fund and any fund utilized for general or operating expenses. "Appropriations and transfers" do not include (i) reappropriations from a previous fiscal year, (ii) those

made for debt service payments, and (iii) those made to a budget stabilization fund.

(b) Aggregate fiscal year appropriations and transfers from the general funds may not exceed the limitation amount. For the fiscal year ending in 2015, the limitation amount is the aggregate amount of appropriations and transfers from the general funds in the fiscal year ending in 2011, as adjusted as provided in this subsection (b) for the fiscal years ending in 2012, 2013, and 2014. For the fiscal year ending in 2016 and each fiscal year thereafter, the limitation amount is the aggregate amount of appropriations and transfers from the general funds in the previous fiscal year, as adjusted as provided in this subsection (b).

For the fiscal year after a fiscal emergency is declared under subsection (c) of this Section, the limitation amount is the aggregate amount of appropriations and transfers from the general funds in the fiscal year in which the fiscal emergency is declared minus the specific dollar amount by which the limitation amount was increased for the fiscal emergency, as adjusted as provided in this subsection (b).

The adjustment is the average annual percentage change in the average per capita personal income for Illinois for the 5 most recent calendar years for which data is available, as defined and reported by the United States Department of Commerce, or its successor.

(c) The Governor may declare a fiscal emergency by filing a declaration with the Secretary of State and copies with the Senate and House of Representatives. The declaration must be limited to only one State fiscal year, set forth compelling reasons for declaring a fiscal emergency, and request that the limitation amount for that fiscal year be increased by a specific dollar amount. If the Comptroller and Treasurer advise the General Assembly that they concur in the Governor's declaration, then by a record vote of three-fifths of the members elected to each house, the General Assembly, by law conditioned upon the approval of a majority of voters in the next general, primary, or special election, may authorize increased appropriations and transfers in a specific dollar amount that is no more than the increased amount requested by the Governor in the declaration. "Emergency" means extraordinary circumstances outside the control of the General Assembly, including catastrophic events, such as a natural disaster, terrorism, fire, war, and riot, and court orders or decrees.

(d) If the general funds revenues for a fiscal year exceed the limitation amount for that fiscal year, then those excess revenues must be deposited into the Past Due Paydown Fund, State Budget Stabilization Fund, and the Taxpayer Relief Fund as provided in subsections (e), (f), and (g).

(e) The Past Due Paydown Fund is established as a special fund in the State treasury and must be administered for the purposes identified in this Section. At the close of the lapse period for each fiscal year beginning in 2012, the State Comptroller shall identify the amount of General Fund unappropriated surplus above the Spending Growth Index limitation and transfer to the fund any amount necessary up to the total past due operating debt owed by the State as of the close of fiscal year 2011.

The General Assembly may authorize transfers, appropriations, and allocations from the fund only to fund the costs of paying down the remaining past due debt until such debt is zero. Any remaining funds shall be transferred to the State Budget Stabilization Fund.

(f) The State Budget Stabilization Fund is established as a special fund in the State treasury and must be administered for the purposes identified in this Section. At the close of the lapse period of each fiscal year, the State Comptroller shall identify the amount of General Fund unappropriated surplus above the expenditure limitation described in subsection (b) of this Section and above the amount necessary to fully fund and pay down the past due operating debt to zero. The fund may not exceed 8% of the total General Fund revenues received in the immediately preceding fiscal year.

The General Assembly may authorize transfers, appropriations, and allocations from the fund only to fund the costs of State government up to the expenditure limit calculated by law in years when State revenues are less than the amount necessary to finance the level of expenditures permitted by law. Transfers require a three-fifths supermajority vote of the General Assembly.

The money in the fund may be invested as provided by law, with the earnings credited to the fund. At the close of every month during which the fund is at the 8% limitation, the State Comptroller shall transfer the excess to the Taxpayer Relief Fund.

(g) The Taxpayer Relief Fund is established as a special fund in the State treasury and must be administered for the purposes identified in this Section. At the close of the lapse period of each fiscal year, the State Comptroller shall identify the amount of General Fund unappropriated surplus above the State expenditure limitation and above the amount necessary to fully fund the Past Due Paydown Fund and the Budget Stabilization Fund.

By September 1st annually, the State Comptroller shall notify the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability and the Department of Revenue of the amount in the fund as a result of the

transfers.

If the amount in the fund exceeds 1% of General Fund expenditures, then the General Assembly shall, by September 15th, enact legislation to provide for the refund to taxpayers of amounts in the fund. Refunds may take the form only of temporary or permanent broad-based tax rate reductions.

If the General Assembly does not enact legislation by September 15th to provide refunds, then the State Comptroller shall, by September 30th, notify the Department of Revenue of the amount in the fund. The Department of Revenue shall calculate a one-time bonus personal exemption refund. The amount of the personal exemption refund must be calculated by dividing the amount in the fund identified by the State Comptroller by the number of personal exemptions claimed on income tax returns filed for tax year beginning in the previous calendar year. The Department of Revenue shall issue a refund by October 30th to a taxpayer who filed an income tax return by April 15th of the same calendar year based on the number of exemptions claimed (times refund per exemption) on the taxpayer's return without regard to the taxpayer's tax liability for the year.

#### SECTION 2.2. OBLIGATIONS TO RETIREMENT SYSTEMS AND PENSION FUNDS

In each fiscal year, obligations of the State to retirement systems and pension funds created under the Illinois Pension Code must be met as provided in that Code.

#### SCHEDULE

This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being declared adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the Illinois Constitutional Amendment Act.

The foregoing HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 29 was taken up, read in full a first time, ordered reproduced and placed in the Committee on Rules.

Representative Unes introduced the following:

### **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 30**

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the general election next occurring at least 6 months after the adoption of this resolution a proposition to add Section 8.1 to Article IV of the Illinois Constitution as follows:

#### ARTICLE IV THE LEGISLATURE

#### SECTION 8.1. PASSAGE OF REVENUE BILLS

A bill that would result in the increase of revenue to the State by an increase of a tax on or measured by income or by an increase of a tax on or measured by the selling price of any item of tangible personal property may become law only with the concurrence of three-fifths of the members elected to each house of the General Assembly.

#### SCHEDULE

This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being declared adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the Illinois Constitutional Amendment Act.

The foregoing HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 30 was taken up, read in full a first time, ordered reproduced and placed in the Committee on Rules.

At the hour of 4:58 o'clock p.m., the House Perfunctory Session adjourned.